



AFIFAH SCHOOL  
CURRICULUM MAP



SPRING TERM 2



RECEPTION  
2021/2022

Our upcoming topic is:

## WHERE THE WILD THINGS ARE

Dear respected parents / guardians

The children this half term have thoroughly enjoyed learning a range of different traditional tales. They have loved memorising the stories of 'The 3 Billy Goats Gruff' and "The Gingerbread man" and have even created actions to go with the words! In our next topic the children will be learning about dinosaurs, about different types of land and sea animals, their habitats and life cycles.

### How can you help at home?

- Discuss with your child about different animals from around the world. Are they able to name them and talk about their features? Where do they live? What do they eat?
- Investigate where you would find different animals. Would they find a horse in the jungle? Would they find a zebra in the sea?

dinosaurs	<u>KEY VOCABULARY</u>	carnivore
	farm	
herbivore	forest	dessert
jungle	change	ocean

## PHONICS

These are the **Phase 3** sounds your child will be learning next half term:

**igh oi ow ear air er**

These are the **tricky words** your child will be learning:

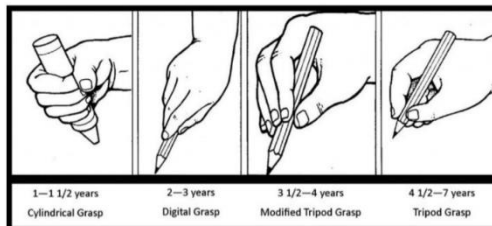
**my they all are**

We will be doing a lot of recapping with a focus on application in writing and reading this half term in preparation for Phase 4.

## LITERACY

Next half time we will be focussing on encouraging children to retain and write short captions and sentences using the sounds they have learnt so far.

Please encourage your child to do lots of drawing at home where they attempt to write a what they have drawn.



## MATHS

Next half term your child will be exploring numbers 9 & 10 in depth and will then be moving onto building numbers beyond 10 with a focus on addition and subtraction. They will also be introduced to 3D shapes and will be learning about their properties.

### How can you help at home?

- Encourage your child to think about different ways to make 9 and 10.
- Look at shapes in the environment and talk about what you can see.

## WOW MOMENTS

A recording of the children re-telling the story of the 3 Billy Goats gruff is available for parents to see. Please ask a member of staff in Reception Class. We are extremely proud of all the children.

## REMINDERS

**WORLD BOOK DAY 2022: THURSDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MARCH**  
Children to dress up as their favourite book character.